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HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 1892.

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Intimations.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONTRIBUTORS. BONUS of TWENTY PER CENT. upon Contributions for the year 1891 has This Day been declared. WARRANTS may be had on application at the above OFFICE on and after the 5th Proximo.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED. Hongkong, April 26, 1892.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS N Interim BONUS of TWENTY PER OBNT. upon Contributions for the MEATS in 21b. Tins. year 1801 has been declared.

WARRANTS may be had on application at the i Price of the Society on and after the 5th May. By Order of the Board,

N. J. EDE,

Hongkong, April 23, 1892.



Wine and Spirit Merchants,

13, QUEEN'S ROAD. Houghong, August 18, 1891.

THE 'MO STEAMSHIP LINE. HONGKONG MACAO LINE. TIME TABLE (REVISED).

THE Company's Screw Steamship KWONG MO. Captain CHRISTIAN, will Run to and from MACAO as under :-

Leave Hongkong, Arrive Leave Arrives
West Point Wherf, Macas, Macas, Hongkong,

17.30 1.30 5.30 MONDAY, A.M. NOON. P.M. P.M. TUESDAY, WHONESDAY THURSDAY, ;; FRIDAY

SATURDAY * SPECIAL EXCURSION RATES will be charged for the Round Trip to Macao and back when sufficient inducement offers on SUNDAYS, and the time of departure from Macao will then be altered to suit pleasure

FARES :- First-class, \$1.60 each way Second-class, 60 cents; Deck, 40 cents Mesla and Liquors provided on board, for the convenience of Passengers, at strictiv moderate rates. Passage Tickets may be had on board.

For Freight, Passage or further Particulars apply to SUI KEE CHAN, No. 53, Bonham Strand West.

Hongkong, April 26, 1892

THIS Commodious and well appointed HOTEL has been LWASED by the PROPRIETORS of the "VICTORIA HOTEL," and will be Opened on the 1st of MAY Next, and run in conjunction, with the HOTEL in QUEEN'S ROAD, thus enabling them to offer special inducements to Vist-

The HOTEL has been thoroughly Renovated. Redec trated and Refurnished. A New and Handsone Bas has been

A GRILL ROOM has been O; ened where CHOPS, STEARS, &co., can be served at any hour. For full Particulars as to Rates, do., apply to "Victoria Horse."

DORABJEE & HING KEE. Leisees. Hongkong, April 20, 1602.

PELLY & WALSH, LIMITED.

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Sweet Caporal Cigarettes, Three Castles Cigarettes. Fire Fly Cigarettes.

Three Castles Tobacco. Cope's Golden Cloud. Richmond Gem Durly Cat.

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DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

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PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instruc-tions to Sell by Public Auction, on MONDAY, the 9th May, 1892, Commencing at 11 a.m., at the Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s Godowns No. 3, BLUE BUILDING'S, Prays Kast

Wanchai,-(For account of whom it may concern), A LARGE QUANTITY

SURPLUS STORES & PROVISIONS

MORTON'S ASSORTED SOUPS in 2lb, Tins, FRESH HERRINGS, RED. HERRINGS, FIN-DON HADDOCKS, WHITE BAIT, FILLETS of Soles, Fresh Mackerel, Oysters, Los-STERS, SALMON, ETC., ETC. AUSTRALIAN and MORTON'S ASSORTED

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Catalogues will be issued previous to Sale, and the above will be on view on Saturday next. TERMS OF SALE. - Cash on delivery. GEO. P. LAMMERT,

Auctioneer. Hongkong, April 30, 1892

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

THE following Particulars of SALE of L CROWN LAND by PUBLIC AUCTION. to be held on the Spot, on MONDAY, the 9th day of May, 1892, at 4 p.m., are nu blished.

> By Command, G. T. M. OBRIEN. Colonial Secretary.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Hongkong, 23rd April, 1892.

Order of His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot of Crown Land, in the

Particulars of the Lot.

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MESSINA, NAPLES, (LEGHORN) CAN PORTS, up to CALLAC. Taking Cargo at through rates to PERSIAN GULF and BAGDAD.

F. Susini, Master, will be despatched as above At Bonsay the Steamers are discharging For further Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply to

CARLOWITZ & Co., Hongkong, May 2, 1892.

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Captain Lewis, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 5th Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, May 4, 1892, THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM

NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR LONDON AND AMSTERDAM. The Co. a Steamship Oanid.
W. N. Shaw. Com ander,
will be despatched in

above on or about the 5th May. For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, April 1, 1892. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND OALOUTTA:

The Steamship Capi. G. SPENCE, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 7th Instant, at

For Freight or Patage, apply to DAVID BASSOON, SONS & Co.

Hongkong, May 3, 1892

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW

CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKUW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship Capt. Rawlines, will be despatched as above on

SATURDAY, the 7th May. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, April 30, 1892. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES. STEAM FOR HOLHOW & HAIPHONG. (Taking Passengers and Cargo for

Tourans & Quinson.) The Co.'s Steamship Haiphong, Captain FAURAN, will Pleave for the above Ports

on SUNDAY, the 8th Inst., at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to G. DE CHAMPKAUX,

Hongkong, May 3, 1892.

STEAM TO SHANGHAL The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s

Steamaling Captain W. A. SEATON, R.N.R., will have quick despatch for the above port after her arrival here with the ontward Mail. H. H. JOSEPH,

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, May 2, 1892. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship Poisphemus, Captain Les, will be despatched as above on

BATURDAY, the 14th May. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Agenta

Hongkong, April 80, 1892. FOR NEW YORK PIA SUEZ CANAL The Steamship Port Adelaide, Jamieson, Commander, the above Port on or about SATURDAY, 799 the 14th May.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, April 29, 1892

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SINGAPORE, HAVEE, LONDON,

HAMBURG AND ANTWERP. The Steamship Breconshire Captain Jankson, will be despatched as above on

or about WEDNESDAY, the 18th May. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL CARLILL & Co.,

Hougkong, April 96, 1892.

Saling Vessels. TOR SAN PRANCISCO.

The 8/3 L.I.I. American Ship BRAY Mester will load bers for the above For said will

For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co. Hangkong, April 29, 1602

PRIVATE BOXED & ELEMENTER MARS. PALCONER LA VICENCIA for GRITLENES RESIDENT BOARDARD, at Kowloon, Victoria View.

Business Notices.

New MADRAS MUSLINS.

Hongkong, April 23, 1892.

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BABY LINEN.

Hongkong, April 23, 1892.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED

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NEWEST MATERIALS, from \$30.00, Silk-lined.

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INTEREST on deposits is allowed at NIEW ART MUSLINS, from 15 Cents per yard. CHINESE EVANGELIST OFFICE, 52, West 31 PER CENT, per annum, Depositors may transfer at their option balances of 3AN FRANCISCO and American Ports 2100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on

> For the Hongkong and Shanghai F. DE BOVIS, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 1, 1891.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. TATE Have authorised Mr. HERBERT SMITH and Mr. WALTER POATE to Sice our Firm, and Mr. HERBERT GEORGE DOWLER to Stan per pro-

curation, from this date. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Hongkong, May 2, 1892. NOTIOE.

THE style of the Firm of POATE and NOBLE, DENTAL SURGEONS, has been changed to "Dr. J. W. NOBLE," and will be represented as under :-JOSEPH W. NOBLE (Liongkong

35, Brook St., Grosvenor: HERBERT POATE Square, London, W.

Hongkong, February 27, 1892.

Singapore.

UHAS. L. SNYDER

TONGKONG AND SHANGHAI THE IMURIS MINES, LIMITED TINDER authority from the Board of Directors, Mr. JOHN WBEELEY, No. 6, Ice House Street, has been appointed to Act until further notice as AGENT for the

Registration and Transfer of Shares, &c., 40, Queen's Road Central, over the Hongkong Dispensary, or to the MANAGER, MOUNT in Hongkong. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, May 2, 1892

Intimations. THE GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

ORDINARY Conemi MEETING of ORDINARY General MEETING of A VERY LARGE SELECTION OF SCOTCH TWEED, AND OTHER the GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COM- A PANY, LIMITED, will be held at the Company's Offices, TO-MORROW, the 5th day of May, 1892, at Noon, when the subjoined Resolutions which were passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 12th April, 1892,

will be submitted for Confirmation as Special Resolutions :-1. That it is desirable to reconstruct the Company, and accordingly that the same be wound-up voluntarily, and that Julius Kramer be and be is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose

of such winding up. That the said Liquidator be and he is hereby authorized to consent to the registration of a new Company to be named the Green Island Comeut Factory, Limited, with a Memorandum and Acticles of Association which have already been prepared with the privity and approval of the Consulting Committee of the Company.

.-That the Draft Agreement submitted to this Meeting and expected to be made between this Company and its Liquidator of the one part, and the Green Island Coment Factory, Limited, of the other part, be and the same is hereby approved, and that the Li-quidator be and he is hereby authorized, pursuant to Section 149 of the Companies Ordinance, 1865, to enter into an Agreement with such new Company (when incorporated) in the terms of the said Draft, and to carry the same into effect with such (if any) modifications as he thinks expedient.

The Transfer B OKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 28th April to 5th May, both days inclusive. Dated, the 4th day of May, 1892,

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

General Managers. WINDLING & CHINA BAKERU

General Managers. TANUFACTURERS of all kinds IVI BREAD, CAKES, BISCUITS, SUPPLIES DELIVERED DAILY. WPDDING CAKES made to order.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Queen's Road. Bongkong, April 25, 1892.

SHIPS BREAD AND BISOUITS.

PRICE LISTS can be had on application

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED. NTOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary General MEETING of the Company will be held at the Hongkond DEPENSARY, on MONDAY, the 9th May pert, at Three o'clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the Re ort of the General Manager, together with a

Statement of Account to the 31st December,

Hongkong, April 29, 1892.

Intimation?.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY

LONDON VIA SUEZ CANALA RRANGEMENTS have been made for A the Conveyance of SALOON PAS. SENGERS in the COMPANY'S EXTRA

STEAMER MALACUA (Capt. P. W. Case), proceeding to LON-DON via SUEZ UANAL, and leaving Hongkong about the 17TH MAY.

modation, apply to H. D. JOSEPH, Superintendent. Hongkong, April 28, 1892

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A. H. MANCELL, Sold in Bottles, by all Druggists.

Intimations.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED. Issue of 10,000 New Shares of \$10 each.

TURSUANT to Resolution, the GENERAL

Five Shares registered in his name. Shares, remaining unallotted in respect of income plete numbers of Five Shares and Shares not applied for by those entitled to apply 779 will be allotted among the General Manager and the Company's staff. Applications for Shares in the New Issue will be received by the Honekone and SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION in Hong.

> amount applied for will be payable on application. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the lat to the 4th day of JUNE next, both days inclusive. The present paid up Capital of the Company is \$500,000 divided into 50,000 Shares of \$10 each, and the New Isane is required to increase the Capital of the Company to

the New Issue will be placed to the credit of the Permanent Reserve Fund. The last Dividend paid by the Company was on the 5th November, 1801, being an Interim Dividend at the rate of 14 per cent per annum on account of that year, and the Final Dividend for 1891 will be payable in May peat. The New Issue will rank for the Interim Dividend to be declared in November nest on account of 1892. Forms of Application for the New Laus can be obtained at the Company's OFFICES

Secretary.

iskin, and no matter at what age. The world-renowned Remedy for Baldness, from whatever cause arising. As a Producer of Whiskers & Mastachies it has never been equalled. As a Curer of Weak and Thin Eyelashes, or Restoring Groy Hair to its Original Co-To be obtained from the leading Morchants, AFTER le Druggiels, Chemists and Perfumers throughout the country. EDWARDS & Co., 85, High Holtorn, LCNDON.

I MANAGER OF A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED, hereby invites applications from the SHAREHOLDERS of the Company for the ISSUE of 10,000 NEW SHARES of \$10 each at a Premium of 50 Por Cent. or \$15 a Share. Each Registered Shareholder on the 31st day of Max next applying for the New

Issue will be entitled to one Share for every

kong, from the lat to the 4th day of June next, both days inclusive, and the whole

8600,000 divided into 60,000 Shares of \$10

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Opened on the Basement, while a New BAR and BILLIAND ROOM has been erected on the main floor.

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Particulars of the Letting by Public Austion Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 9th day of May, 1892, at 4 p.m., by

Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75

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Shipping. Steamers.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG & BOMBAY Having connection with Company's Mail Steamers to ADEN, SUEZ; PORT SAID, and GENOA; all MEDITERRANEAN, ADRIATIC, LEVANTINE and SOUTH AMERI-

The Co.'s Steamship on TUESDAY, the 10th May, at Noon. in Vioronia Dock.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

The Co.'s Steamship J. E. WILLIAMS, Com'der, above on THURSDAY, the 12th Proximo. are situated forward of the Enginee.

Hongkong, April 29, 1892. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA

For Breight or Passage, apply to

Steamship Anconc.
Captain W. D. Mudie.

P. & O. B. N. Co.'s Office, 325 L Hongkong, May 2, 1892.



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F. DE BOVIS. Chief Manager. Hongkong, February 27, 1692. THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA.

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GEO. MUNEO. Manager.

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Hongkong, February 17, 1892.

The REGISTER of SHARES will be CLOSED from Toursday, the 5th Proximo A PURELY VEGETABLE SWEETHEAT, until Tuesday, the 10th Proximo, both days both in apprarance and tasts, furnishing a most

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Hongkong, August 19, 1891.

Manager.

T. E Davies, Esq. | Alex. McConachie,

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closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the

English and French Packets, when they

leave at Noon, The Money Order Office

8.00 A.M. Pusting of Prices Current and

will be closed at a the day before.

10.00 a.m.-Registry ceases.

11.00 A.M. - Mail closes.

11.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m.

&c. should be registered.

Local rates will be charged.

to 12 and 4 o'clock.

Books, and Patterns ceases.

TO-LATE LETTERS may be posted (from

11.10 A.M.) with 10 cents late fee up to

11.30 a.m., after which hour they may

be sent on Board with the same Late

Letters Parcels, &c., for Kowloom

Point and steamers in Harbour may be

Letters from Kowloon Point may

posted in the Letter Box which has been

placed in the Police Station Compound up

To avoid robbery, senders of letters from

Covers containing Bank Notes, Jewellery

RE PEAK DELIVERY. - Letters, &c., will

delivery. -Senders are requested to cancel

General Memoranda.

SATURDAY, May 7:—
3 p.m.—Competition of the Hongkong

Rifle Amociation.

Praya East, Wanchal

toria, (The Peak).

THURSDAY, May 12 :-

WEDNESDAY, June 1 :--

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SAYURDAY, June 4:

MONDAY. May 9:-

There will be no Sunday delivery.

Kowloon are requested to cancel their

posted in the General Post Office up to

Circulara ceases.

ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS.

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the Mails, &c.

which will be closed as follows :--

The following hours will be observed in

the 10th inst.

the 13th inst.

13th inst.

WAY Co.'s PACKET. --

closing the Mails, &c .-

11.15 A.M. Regis ry closes.

Mails. OANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY CO. ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIP LINE, CHINA AND JAPAN. PROPOSED SALLINGS FROM HONGKONG, 1892. (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.) Empress of India | Saturday | May 7. Empress of Japan | Saturday | May 28. Bimpress of China | Saturday | June 18. HIHE B. M.S. EMPRESS OF INDIA, Liout. O. P. MARSHALL, R.N.R., Commander, sailing at Noon, on SATUR. 2 p.m. DAY, the 7th May, 1892, with Her Majesty's Mails, will proceed to VANCOUVER, vid SHANGHAL, INLAND SEA, KOBE and YOKOHAMA. RATES OF PASSAGE. (Va Mexican Dollars). FROM HONGKONG, FIRST CLASS. quimault, New Westminstor, B.C. Port Townsend, Seattle, - 225 338 394 Tacoma Wash Portland, Ore., San Francisco, salaras salaras 255 383 487 275 413 482 Banff, Calgarry Alba Winnipeg, Man Minnoapolis, St. Paul, Du. luth Minn Chicago, Ill., Kansas City,) St. Louis, Mo 295 443 517 Milwaukee; Wis Detroit, Mich., Cincinnati, Cleveland, Columbus, O Hamilton, London, Toron-305 458 584 Buffalo, Niagara Falls Kingston, Ottawa, Ont., Montreal, Quebec, Que New York, Albany, Troy, Rochester, N.Y. Baltimore, Md., Philade-316 465 543 phia, Pittsburg, Pa..... Washington, D.C., Boston, Mass Portland Me...... Halifax, N.S., St. John, Liverpool, and London via 325 575 650 Liverpool Paris via Liverpool and } London 335 Havre, via Liverpool Bremen, 335 Hamburg 2nd class steamer and 1st class on rail and 2nd class steamer and rail, also Steerage Fares and Rates to other places, quoted on application. The Steamers call at Victoria to land and embark Passengers. Return Tickets.-Time limit for prepaid return ticket is reckoned from date of issue to date of re-embarking at Vancouver. Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of steamers. Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China or Japan, and to Government officials. OARGO. - Through Bills of Lading issued to Japan, Pacific Coast Points, and to Canadian and United States Points. CONSULAR INVOICES of Goods for United States Points should be in quadruplicate; and one copy must be sent forward by the steamer to the care of D. E. Brown, Assistant General Freight and Passenger Agent, Canadian Pacific Railway Company, Vanconver. B.C. PARCELS must be sent to the Company's office with address marked in full by 5 p.m. on the day previous to sailing. For Further information as to Passa. and Freight, apply to E. HOLLOWAY, General Agent, OFFICE: Pedder's Street. Hongkong, April 19, 1892 To-day's Advertisements. NOTICE. THE Undersigned does NOT ho'd him. self RESPONSIBLE for any DEBTS his Wife VICENZIA NEHSEN may contract . in his name from this date. C. NEILSEN. Turnkey,

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VICTORIA GACL. Dakin's Hongkong, May 4, 1892. FOR SHANGHAI. The Steamship Capt. G. HEUERMANN, will be despatched for the above Port TO-MORROW, the 5th Instant, at 4 p.m., instead of as previously notified. For Freight or Passage, apply to STEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, May 4, 1892. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUI. The Co.'s Steamship Hailoong,
Capt. Barnuss, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 6th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, May 4, 1892. FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND L. Lincoln, Shanghai April 30, General --YOKOHAMA. C. M. S. N. Co. The Steamship -Strathleven, Capt. Cormann, will be Tamoui May 1, Amoy 2, Swatow 3, General despatched as above of " ar about THURSDAY, the 12th Instant. -Douglas Steamship Co. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., & Co. Sydney, French str., 2.139, Delscroix, Hongkong, May 4, 1892. Marsoillos April 3, via Alexandria, Port Said, Suez, Aden, Colombo, Singapore and STEAM TO STRAITS & BOMBAY, Saigon May 1, Mails and General - MESSA-(Calling at COLOMBO, if sufficient OFFICE MARITIMES.

inducement offere.

leave for the above places on FRIDAY

the 13th Instant, at Noon.

F. & O. S. N. Co,'s Office,

Hongkong, May 4, 1892.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s

Captain F. J. Core, wil

H. H. JOSEPH,

Vessels Advertised as Loaing. To-day's Advertisements. Date o Leaven COMPAGNIE DES MESSACIERIES Destinatio Mozsageries Maritimes May 8, at 10 a.m. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCATS. Hoihow and Haiphong Haiphong (s) . Aruhold, Karbery &Co. About May 5. London & Austerdam Oaufa (a).... P. & O. S. N. Co May 12, at noon. London & Poets o Cali Ravenna (s)...... FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND Butterfield & Swire ... May 14. London, v. Suez Caual Polyphomus (8) P. & O. S. N. Co About May 17. **УОКОНАМА.** London, V. Suez Caun, Maiacen (a) Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About May 18. L'don, H'bg, A'wp, &c. Breconshire (8). The Co.'s Steamship Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About May 14. New York, v. Suez Canai Port Adelaide (1) ... Butterfield & Swire ... May 12. Capt. DELACROIX, will be Port Darwin, &c hangsha (s) S. Francisco, v. Japan Cityof Riode Janeiro(s) Pacific Mail S. S. Co. May 10, at 1 p.m. O. & O. S. S. C. May 21, at 1 p.m. Shewan & Co. Quick despatch. Simmson & Co. el. y 5, at 4 p.m. Ports TO-MORROW, the 5th Instant, at S. Francisco, v. Japan Gaelie (s) San Francisco..... Wm. J. Rotch..... G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Shanghai Lyes moon (8). P. & O. S. N. Co... Quick despatch. Shangha Thunes (a) Messagories Maritime-May , at 2 p.m. Shanghai, Kobo &Y'ma Syduey (8) . Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About May 12. Shanghat, Kobed Y'ma atrachieven (s) ... Butterfield & Swire May 7. Shanghai, via Amoy... Aj ex (a)...... STRAMSHIP SYDNEY. Carlowitz & Co..... May 10, at noon, S'pore, P'nang & B'bay Bormida (6) D. Sassoon, Sons & Co. May 7, at noon. S'pore, Penang & O'tta Lightning (a)..... COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERTES P. & O. S. N. Co..... May 13, at noon. Straits and Bombay. ... Lombardy (4) Douglas Lapraik & Co. May 5, at daylight Swatow, Amoy & T'foo Thales (8)..... Douglas Lapraik & Co. May 6, at noon. Swatow, Amoy & Tsui Hailoong (a) Vancouver (B.C.). & Empress of India (8) ... Canadian Plac R. Co. May 7, at moon. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. P. & O. S. N. Co May 14, at daylight Y'ham ev. N'k & Kob Ancona (s)..... MONSIGNEES of Cargo from London O ex Steamehips Guadiana and Tigre, POST OFFICE NOTICES. DEPARTURES: and from Havre ex Steamship Tigre, connection with the above Steamer, MAILS will close: are hereby informed that their Goods-

May 4: - 10 34 34 35 with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Iceberg, for Cabu. Valuables-are being landed and stored at Susser, for Saigon. their risk at the HONGKONG & Kowloon Duris, for Chafoo. WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns, Siam, for Saigon. at Kowloon, whence delivery may be ob- Yarra, for Europe. dmigo, for Wham on. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless Porpoise, Britishgot., fortarget practice. intimation is received from the Consiguees | Zafiro, for Amoy and Manila. 285 428 499 before 5 p.m. To-DAY (Wednesday), the 4th Benledi, for Kobe. Gualier, for Kobe. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by Kwang Lee, for Whampon, Gazelid, for Southern Island. Goods remaining unclaimed after Thurs-DAY, the 12th Instant, at Noon, will be ULEARED.

Avochie, for Hongay.

Theles, for Coast Ports.

MARITIMES.

Hongkong, May 4, 1892

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tained immediately after landing.

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Hongkeng, May 4, 1892.

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LAPRAIR & Co.'s Offices).

Hongkong, May 4, 1892-

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Apply to

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All Claims must be sent in to me on or

All Damaged Packages will be examined

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

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TO LET.

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THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST

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22 & 24, QUEEN'S ROAD

CENTRAL

SHIPPING.

May 3 :-

May 4 :-

Haileony, British str., 783, H. Bathurst,

Memnon, British str., 825, W. Brauch,

Sandakan April 29, Timber and Rattans .--

Changaha, British sir., from Whampos.

Penguin, British man-of-war, 1,130, Capt.

W. N. Moore, Spronyingan Macdessield

Chuscon, German air., 719, W. Wendt,

Haiphong April 29, and Holhow May 3, General A. R. Maury.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIEL

Bank April 30.

Kwang Lee, Chinese steamer, 1,508, R.

SQUASH.

MENT & AGENCY Co., Ltd.

ED. RUBINSON,

Hon. Secretary.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

on Thursday, the 12th Instant, at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has open offector.

before Thursday, the 12th Inst., or they John Wesley, for Jalvit.

PASSENGERS. ARRIVED. Por Kwang Lee, from Shanghai, 40 Chi Per Hailoong, from Swatow, Capt. W. (

Boward, Mr Chas. Howard, and 106 Chi. Per Taicheony, from Saigon, 20 Ohinese. E. THE GOVERNOR having kindly. Per Sydney, for Hongkong : from Marpresented TWO SPOONS to be MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. -Shot for at One of the SATURDAY MEETINGS seilles, Mr J. Gilbert, Mrs. Widmer, Mr The United States Mail Packet City of Rio de of the Association, the COMPETI ION Widmer, Mr Louis Pila; from Aden, Mr will take place, on SATURDAY NEXT, Autonio M. Esteris; from Singa; ore, Mr 7th May, at 200 and 500 yards, ONE Buan Taun Haien, Mr Choa Yap Fwee, Mr SPOON to be won by the highest acore at and Mrs Hou Jeong Sieg, Mesars Teo Lip each Range respective y; no Competitor to Chiang, Tro Teang H. s, Gunelot, Miss Malvine, Messra Lik Ch 6 Ah Choon, Kui SPOONS for the best not and Handicap Ching, Hong Cheon, and 6 Chinese ser- 0.15 P.M. Registry ceases. U.30 P.M. Post-Office closes, but Corres-Aggregates-the new Short Range points vants; from Saigon, 67 Chinese. For allowed-will also be Shot for, wieners of a Shanghai : from Marsoilles, Mr K. Hecht ; from Alexandria, Mr Richard; fr. m Singapore, Mr Rigiant, Mr and Mrs Dairay, Mr Delamatre, and Mr Bellort For Kobs: from Singapore, Mr. Mursluah. For Yoko-MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. hama : from Marseilles, Messrs Gardenet, J. Risier ; fr m Alexaudria; Mr S. Stenes- Th. British Contract Packet Ravenna will kers (French Vice-Consul); from Colombo, Mr Gilbert Mahon; from Singapore, Messrs Paul Matter Gustave B der, Van Royen, Mrs and Miss Redger, maid and servant, Mr Hikido, Mrs Ridger; from Saigon, Mi Per Memnon, from Sandakan, Mr and

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST. Lacaye. Mrs ook and child, Mr Sommerfield, and 372 Chinese, Per Chusan, from Haiphong, 45 Chinese. DEPARTED. THE BEN." FURNISHED (for Summer

Per Yarra, from Hongkong : for Saigon, Mr Bermeres, Mr Martin and family, Mrs H. Danoyer ; for Singapore, Mr E. H. Mc-FIRST FLOOR, No. 1. Blue Buildings. Farland, Mr E. Foytag, and Mr T. Neill GODOWN (under Mesers, Douglas for Marseilles, Mesers Wallut, J. M. Moorhead. G. Roze, Raben, G. W. Luce, Stonrall, J. Silberman and Hunter. From Shanghai : for Saigon, Mr Labrude ; for Singapore, Measrs Waterhouse, Ommerton, SEMI-DETACHED HOUSES, at MAGAZINE and 5 Chinese; for Port Said, Mrs Starck, No. 2 and 2a, STAUNTON STREET (corner 2 infants and nurse; for Alexandria, Mr. Broche; for Marsoilles, Mc Rapes, Mc Forbes and family, Messrs Laporte, Gedrath, Cooper, Mr M. C. Russell and family, Mr Burgoyne, Mr Schiotz, Rev. Eaton and family, Messra Hardy, Rippe, Sisters 817 Wilmer and Bigliaminno. From Yokohams : for Saigon, Mr Bonneau, Mrs Berland, and Mr Berland; for Singapore, DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA, Messrs Fleischner, Nakayama, Hogan Okayi, Schuze, and 3 Japanese; for Marseilles, His Excellenty and Mrs Aok (Japanese Minister to Berlin). Miss Aoki, Miss Falconer, Mesers Yushida Yasaku, Kemura Motoo, Tanaka, Birk, Miss Luike, Messra Gokinjinro, Sakarai, Arai, Murakami, Kendzo Fatsaka and Inouye. From Kobe : for Marasilles, Messra Kioutchi and Honebard.

Per Surer, for Saigon, 67 Chinese. Per Siam for Saigon, 100 Chinese. Per Maria Teresa, for Shanghai, Mr M. Wheeler and servant, and 4 Indians. TO DEPART.

Por Thales, for Swatow, 2 Europeans, and 300 Chicese.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The Chinese steamer Kwang Lee reports; From Shanghai to Lammocks thick and rainy weather and moderate to strong N. F. breeze; thence to port, light Easterly wind Sheep Island, on account of fog.

and fine ; ship at anchor 6 hours, N.W. of The British steamer Hailoung reports Left Tamani May lat, Amoy 2ad, and Swa- be delivered by the 12 and 3.30 o'clock tow 3rd; from Tumani to Ockseu, light Trams only. Correspondence and Parcels S. W. winds and fine weather; thence to for the Peak may be posted in the General Amoy, strong N.E. winds and heavy rain; Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. or 3 p.m., or from Amoy to Swatow, strong N.E. winds in the Letter Boxes in the Cars till time of. and high following see with cloudy weather; Departure. With regard to letters from from Swatow to port, moderate Easterly the Peak additional Letter Boxes have been winds and fine weather. Steamers in Amoy, affixed to Police Boxes at Magazina Gap, Formosa, Yiksaug, Chefoo, Namyong and by Peak Church, and at Mount Kellet, Pekin. Steamers in Switow. Haiphong, which will be cleared at 12.30 and 4 p.m. Whampon, Singan, Kweiyang, Loksang and Local Rates will be charged. No Sunday

The British ateamer Memnon reports; their Stamps by writing the word Stamped Brisk North to N.E. and E. winds through- | neruss them. Covers containing Bank out, with latterly heavy N.E. and East Notes, &c. should be registered. swell and fine clear weather, The German steamer Chusan reports Left Hollow yesterday morning; hid strong E.N. E. wind, heavy sea from port to port.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close: For SHANGHAL KOBE & YOKOHAMA Per Sydney, on Thursday, 5th inst. For Taicheong, German steamer, 828, P. Duhme, Saigon April 29, Rice. MEYER

Shanghai, Registry ceases at 12 45 p.m. Mail closes at 1 p.m. Late Letters received from 1.10 to 1.30 prm., with 10 contr Late Fee. For Japan, Registry coates at 1.15 p.m. Mail closes at 1.30 p. m. WOT SHANGHAL .-Per Lycemoon, at 3,30 p.m., on Thursday,

the 5th inst., instead of as provious ly notified. For SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUL-Par Hailoong, at 11.80 a.m., on Friday, the 6th fust. For STRAITS & CALCUTTA .-

Per Lightning, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday, the 7th inst. For HOTHOW & HAIPHONG.-Per Haiphoug, at 9 a.m., on Bunday, the

memos. FOR TO MORROW. Shipping.

Daylight .- Thates leaves for Swatow, &c. 7.30 a, m. - Knowy Mo leaves for Macho. 2 p.m. - Sydney leaves for Shanghai, &co. 4 p.m. - Lycemoon leaves for Shanghai, Meetings.

Noon. Confirming Meeting of Shareholders of the Humphreys Estate & Finance Co., Ltd., at the Company's Noon.-Confirming Meeting of Shareholders of The Green Island Camen

Co., Ld., at the Company's Uffices. 9 p.m. - Mooting of Victoria Lodge. Miscellaneous.

Lique Warrents of The Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ld. Issue Warrants of The Canton Insurance Office, Ld. Goods per Maria Teresa undelivered after

this date subject to rent. Register of Shares of A S. Watson. Co., Ltd., closed from this date to the 10th May, inclusive.

S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED WINES AND SPIRITS. TATE invite attention to the following Per Bormida, a 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, VV Brands, all of which are excellent quality and good value for the money.

Per Ancona, at h p.m., on Friday, the In ordering it is only necessary to state the name and quantity of Wine or Spirit wanted; and initial letter for quality desired. MAILS BY THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAIL-PORTS. (For Invalids and general use.) Case. Per Bot. India will be despatched on SATUR-

A Alto Douro, good quality, B Vintage, superior quality, Red Capsule...... 12 1.1 O Fine Old Vintage, superior quality, Black Seal Cap-

D Very Fine Old Vintage, extra superior, Violet C panle (Old Bottled) 18 1.50 SHERRIES. A Delicate Pale Dry, dinher wine, Green Capen e..... 6

B Superior Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Seal Cap-O Manzamilla, Palo Natural Sherry, White Capsule 10 CC Superior Old Dry Pale Natural Sherry, Red Seal Capsule........... 10 D Very Superior Old Lale

Dry; choice old Wine. White Seaf Capsule..... 12 1.10 E Extra Superior Old Pale Dry, very finest quality, Black Soal Capsule (Old

Per Case. Per Cose. I dos. Quarts. A Superior Breakfast Charet, B St. Estephe. Red Capsule 4.50 5.00 O St. Julion, Red Capania ..., 7 D La Rose, Red Capsulo 11 12.0.

MADEIRA, HOCK & CHAMPAGNES. Full particulars of the various Brands. in stock on application. BRANDY. A Hennessy's Old Pale, Red

B Superior Very Old Cognac, Red Capsule 15 C Very Old Liquous Cognac, Red Capenie D Hennessy's Finest Very Old Liquour Cognac, 1872 Vintage, Red Capaule... 30 SCOTCH WHISKY. A Thorne's Biend, White

(Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in bundles, country Capsule B Watson's Glenorchy Melby country, with the addresses all low Blend, Blue Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark 10.30 A.M. -Posting of Newspapers.

O Walson's Aberlour Glenlivet, Red Cepsule, with Name and Trade Mark D Watson's H K D Blend of the Finest Scotch Malt Whiskies, Violet Cap-E Watson's Very Old Liqueur

Scotch Whisky, Gald TRISH WHISKY. A John Jameson's Old Green Capsula B John Jameson's Fine Old, Green Capsule 10 O John Jameson's Very Fine Old, Green Capsule 13 GENUINE BOURSON WHISKY. fine old, Red Capsule,

with Name 10 stamps by writing the word stamped across GIN. A Fine Old Tom; White Cap-B Fine Unsweetened, White C Fine A. V. H. Geneva 5 25 0.50

RUM. Finest Old Jamaica, Violet Capsule 12 1.00 Good Leeward Island ... \$1.00 per Gal. QUEUES. Benedictine, Maraschine Coracos, Heering's Cherry Cordial

Chartreuse, Dr. Siegert's Angustura PRICES ON APPLICATION. A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED. THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

Hongkong, February 4, 1894. ar I'm publication of this usue commence

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 1892.

MR George Horspeel, Deputy Superint-11 a.m. -Auction of Surplus Stores and endent of Police (who for a considerable Provisions at No. 3. Blue Buildinge, time before Maj r-General Gordon's 3 p.m. - Maeting of Shareholders of A. return to the colony was acting as B. Watson & vo., Ltd., at Honghong Captain Superintendent), goes home on a well-earned holiday by the Empress 4 p.m. Auction of Crown Land at Vicof India on Saturday. The office of Deputy Superintendent, left vacant by his departure, is apparently not to be Goods per Steamer Sprincy unclaimed after Noon subject to rent. filled at once, as, we understand no arrangement has been made for the appointment of a locum tenens for Mr Horspool. In accordance with the rale Transfer Books of A. B. Watson & Co., Ltd., closed from this date to the 4th of promotion by seniority in the service the officer next below Mr Horspool-Mr Mathieson, Ac ing Chief Inspector, -would take the place of Deputy Sup-Applications for Shares in the New Leans of A. S. Watson & Co., Ltd., received erintendent, but in the public service by H. K. & Shai Bank la Trongkong, of Hongkong they have but smal,

respect for rules and it is generally the unexpected that happens. One of the currestries of the Police Force is the pust of Acting Chief Tuspector. An noting" officer is generally understood to be a person who temporarily discharges duties which properly belong to another officer, in other words, a person who is acting for somebody else. But the Acting Chief Inspector of Police not og for nobody. There is no Chief Inspector of Police' mentioned in the list of officers of the Force. It would appear that the crowd of acting uthicials in the colony is not large enough, and that consequently another noting appointment must be made for no o her reas in than that the number may be increased. To the ordinary un flicial person it would appear that an officer who performs the functions of a at 5.25 p.m. Chief Inspector of Police, and who is not a substitute for somebudy else, THE s. a Shantung left Singapore on 20th ought to be called simply Chief Inspector of Police. Why the prefix Acting should be used in such a case about the 7th inst.

is a mystery which we shall not attempt ibave the Office of Deputy Superinten- that the a. s. Strathleven left Singapore on dent vacant for the present, the public May 4, for this port. tendent can make arrangements for the THE Superintendent of the P. & O. S. N. work of the department being corried Company informs us that the Company's The same being specially selected by our out satisfactorily. It may be remarked, s. s. Lombardy left Nagasaki for this port London House, and bought direct from the however, that promotion in the Police on the 3rd inst., at 3 p.m. most noted Shippers, are imported in wood Force is by no means too rapid nowand bottled by ourselves, thus enabling us a days, and it is very questionable In the Handicap Tennis Tournament E. to supply the best growths at moderate policy to deny experienced and capable J. Grist defeated Capt. Dunn this after-prices. is aff rded by an acting appointment a noon by 2 setts to 1-6.3, 6.4. Capt.

hold. If, on the other hand, the post of Deputy Superintendent is held in THE Agent of the Occidental and Oriental S. reserve for some person outside the S. Co. informs us that the s. s. Gaelic, with Force, whose only claim to it is that he kind, the matter will be viewed in a ulto, has arrived at Yokohama, and leaves must have an appointment of some very different light. We shall cha- for this port to morrow at daylight. ritably suppose, in the meantime, that the Covernment is actuated by a desire AT the Magistracy to-day Chan Tun, coolie, to do what may be done towards the pleaded guilty before Commander Hastings amalgamation of offices and the consequent cutting down of expenditure,

colony, requires to be urgently insisted on. Whether another case of the unexpected happening-or rather of the expected not happening-of which way, we are not in a position to say. 2 for hovering about the British barque we hear may be explained in the same We refer to the report that the gentle- Sea Swallow for the purpose of taking man who was recently appointed liquor on board, on the 8rd inst. Superintendent of Victoria Gaul is put fluity of officials one can easily be spared play the following programme at the Offinot wanted. From our present superto look after the interests of the five or cers' Mess this evening, at B p.m. six hundred Chinese criminals to whom Overture 2 doz. the colony gives free board and lodging. Selection.... Pints We would supp st, as one step towards Belection the retrenchment which the Hon.

extent at least, fitted him fer. It might reasonably be expected of him as an exnaval officer that he would be able to over its sanitary arrangements, and if 0.75 the ability to do this does not fulfil that is required of a Gaol Superintendent, it constitues a very important qualification for the post.

TELECRAMS. [SUPPLIED TO THE 'CRINA MAIL.']

(Via Southern Line) MOTION FOR ESTABLISHING NEW PARLIAMENTS REJECTED. LONDON, 2nd April, 1892.

A motion brought forward in the House of Commons for the establishment of separate Parliaments for Ireland, Scotland and Wales was rejected,

RELEASE OF MRS OSBORNE. Mrs Osborne has been released from

LOCAL AND GENERAL

PASSED SUEZ CANAL. DUTWARD BOUND : - Coringa Shantung-April 5 ; Strathleren, Struthlyon, Mas, cotte, 8; Energia, Olive Agamemnon, Bayern, Glenorchy, Lydia, Nestor, 19; Glamorganshiro, Port

Philip, 22; Canton, Sayhalien, 26. HOMEWARD BOUND :- Blena Cosulich, Mar. 18 ; Banvenite, Florida, April 1 : Eden. Aw account of the purio manager of the dale; & : Anchise , 8 Telamon, Kee. Indian fakir Boliman bou Aissa, is given by mun. Oce na 19; Riversdule, 22 the Vienna correspondent of the Lancet. Cyclops, Urestes, 26.

The O & O. Co.'s a. m. Coclic, with the

Yokohama on Thursday, May 5, at daylight, and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 10th May. The U. P. R. steamship Empress of Japan left Vancouver for this port wa Yoko-

hams and Bhanghai on April 27. The D. D. R. s. s. Kriembild, from Ham-

The U. S. S. Co.'s s. . Afar left Bin-

gapore on April 29, and may be expected here on or about May o. The P. and O. s. S. Teheran left Singapore expected here on or about May 6.

The s. s. Shantung left Sincapore on April guide it than the gratification under the 30, and may be expected here on or

The P. and O. Co.'s steamer Bombay left Singapore for this port on May 1, and may be expected here on or about

The eleamer Taisang, with mails &c. from Calcutta, left Singspore on the May 2, and may be expected here on or

about May 8. The s. s. rivallieren left Singapore on May and may be expected here on or about May 10. E. & A. Co. a s. a. Catterthun, from

Australia, left Port Darwin on April 30, and may he expected here on or about The P. & O. s. a. Brindist left Bombay for this port on April 28.

The P. & O. Co.'s a. s. Canton left London for this port on April 11. Tes delivery of the French mail was begun

April, and may be expected here on or

to fathom. If it has been decided to MESERS Dodwell, Carlill and Co. inform us

step higher than the rank which they Dunn was giving his opponent points.

mails; &c., from San Francisco of the 16th

to having had 38 taels of raw opium in his the necessity of which, especially in the possession, without a permit on the 3rd inst. present impoverielled state of the He was fined \$ 00. The fine was paid. To-DAY Commander Hastings fined Lau Hop, bestman, \$3 for having unlawful pos-

session of five pieces of sapan wood and coming here after all. He is certainly THE Band of the Shropshire L. L. will

Duc D'Olonne Auber, Plorence Pere La Basoche Messager Caraller Fabrback

persistently fighting for, that the ail- Mr. William Forber, of the firm of mittedly unneccessary post of Assistant William Forces and Co., merchante and Harbour Master should be abolished commission agents, Tientein, died last and that Commander Hastings should night on board the French mail ateamer be made Superintendent of the Yarra. Mr Forbes, who had been 34 years Gaol. As Assistant Harbour Master in the East, was returning home with his be has next to nothing to do, and on the Magisterial bench he is out family when the sad event occurred. He 1.40 as his previous training hus, to some Valley this afternoon was attended by many of his former friends.

muintain order and discipling in the This morning the first case under the Gaul and to exercise a strict supervision Postal Convention in this Colony was brought before Mr Justice Fielding Clarke. An action was brought against a M. Bouchard for a debt of \$850, and as he was a passenger by the French mail steamer Varra notice was given to the French Consul that M. Bouchard would be arrest. ed under a warrant granted by the Court. He appeared voluntarily before bir Justice Clarke (in Chambers) this morning, accompanied by the French Consul; but his Lordship, not considering that the circumstances warranted the detention of the defendant, made no order in the matter. Mr Hastings, Messra Wotton and Descon, appeared for the plaintiffe:

A RESURBECTION .- Some years ago [says the Conter Mail) a man, the agent of a certain firm in Madras, suddenly disappeared. He was seen to go to the beach to the nuch of the Harbour and take a swim; but he never returned to shore!the supposition being that he was seized by a shark and devoured. The man's life was insured for a considerable sum of money, but the Insurance Company would not pay the policy for a long time, as it no doub! thought that perhaps the man might turn up. However, as no trace of him could be found, it eventually paid the policy. It is now said that the devoured men has turned up on the Continent-in Germany, we believe!

The exhibition has very properly been the P. & O. steamer Thomes, with the Eng. forbidden in public places in Vienna, but a LISH MAIL of April S, left Singapore series f private entertainments has been on Monday, the 2nd May, at 4 p.m., arranged. An audience of well-known perand may be expected here on or about sons was present at the first of these. The Saturday, the 7th May. This Packet fakir commend d his performances by inbrings replies to letters despatched haling the formes of hurnt powder prepared from Hongkong on Merch 3. Trom caused of snake and scorpion poisons, and by certain quick movements of the AMERICAN MAIL of 16th April, lasves head he produced a fosining at the month.

Yokohama on Thursday, May 5, at After these preliminaries, needles and other sharp instruments were throat through various parts of his body includbroad, which was threat through his tongue Another feet, which is said to have caused great semestice, consisted in pulling forward the eyeball and presenting it outside the orbit to the view of the burg, left Singapore on April 29, and audience batween two hopers. He was may be expected here on or about invulnitable also to the heat produced by a flaming torch held for a minute and a The China Mutual Co.'s a.s. Pinganey, from half against the under auriace of his London and Liverpool, left Singspore (orcarm; Chewing gines and playing with for this port on the 20th April, and poisonous anakes wars among his other may be expected here on or about the tricks. The Laucet remails the experiments of the celebrated Fire King, who many years ago created a sensation in Lendon by advertising his power to thrink prosess soid without to a himself. The Lancet deprecates medical men lending their countenance in may degree to such dismal for this port on April 30, and may be speciacien. Medical science has nobler purposes to fulfil and higher motives to serming sanction is science, of the morbid curiosity of certain classes.

atructions to swait at Singapore, the arrival of H. E. the Commendators Panta. the Italian Ambassador to Ohina and Japan, who is specially entrusted to decorate the King of Siam, with the grand cross of the Anunziata. The Ambassador was expected on the 3rd inst.

murder was perpetrated one day last week between Bangkok and Auythin. Stamese and his wife were returning by river after playing 'lacon' and the woman had about her a considerable amount of the jewellery which is generally worn by the girl players in these theatricals. Whilst paddling along they were joined by a b atful of what seemed to be Siamese nobles from their superior dress and general sppearance but whatever rank they hel they proved to be well dressed ruffians of the first water. Attacking the couple, they soized all the valuables available, and finding that the woman had several gold chains fastened around her waist, it is said they literally cut the body in halves in order to obtain possession of them. No arrests have been made.

THE following items are from the London and China Express of April 1 :-The following appointment has been

made at the Admiralty :- Commander A. W. Chisholme-Batten, to the Linnet, in command, to date March 30. ... The steamship Canton, has been chartered by the Admiralty to convey a naval detachment to Chioa, She will leave Ply.

mouth on April 8. The Admiralty has issued instructions for the Rambler to be overhauled and repaired at Sheerness Dockyard for another term of foreign service. The Rambler, which recently returned from the China station, is to be sgain employed on surroying du-

General W. R. Maxwell, Retired List; Royal Marines, died at Brighton on the 21st ult. He served in the China Expedition, and was present at the battle of Chuenpee, attack of batteries of Anunghoy and North Wantung, advance on Canton, and present at the amount and capture of Canton (me-

Since the arrival of the Orontes troupship at Portamouth a serious flaw has been discovered in one of her crank pins, which will probably necessitate her being paid off. When at Hong Kong the engineers discovered what appeared to be a surface acratch. As however, its exact nature could not be determined, the crank was examined, the crank was examined at Colombo and at Malta on the homeward royage. On neither occasion was any change apparent, but when the machinery be somewhat amended as to the Comwas opened out at Portsmouth the injury pany's limbilities, and he proposed an was found to have developed into so serious | amon ment giving off et to the suggestion a crack that the dockyard authorities have of the Chairman at the last meeting for pronoucced the ship in her present con-

dition unsafe for jurther service. The Admiralty have decided to recommission the composite sloop Daphne, 8, 1,140 tons, 2,000-herse power, Cummander Charles R. Wood, for service on the Pacific Station, justuad of the China Station. The Daphne was commissioned at Sheerness on May 2, 1889, for the Pacific Station, and orders were given a few months since for the th rd class cruiser Satellite 8, 1,420 tons, 1,400-horse power, to be re fitted to relieve her this spring. the Daphne then proceeding to Hongkong to recommission for the China Station. The Satellite, however, is not yet ready for sea, as, owing to the gun accident a few months since on the third-class cruiser Cordelia, her armament of 6 in. breechloading gons has been condemned in accordance with the promise of the First Lord of the Admiralty that no more ships should be sent abroad armed with weapons of the same pattern. The experiment of sending new crews to the Pacific via the Canadian Pacific Railway and recommissioning ships at Esquimalt, which was recently tested in the case of the Champion and Pheasant, has proved so successful that the Admiralty have decided to recommission the Daphne and her sister ship Nymphe at Esquimait, where also the armoured flagship Warspite, 14, 8,400 tons, 10,000-horse power, Captain the Hon. Hedworth Lambton, will recommission at the conclusion of her three years' term of aervice. Previously all cruisers and sloops have been transferred from the Pacific to the China Station to recommission, while the flegship has usually returned to England to be paid out of cummission.

· Wednesday -- May 4th. GREAT NOETHERN PLATE. Mr Sassoon's Mighty. PARI-MUTURL CUP. -Mr Sassoon's Lightning. SAMS SOUCH CHARLENGE CUP. -Mr Buxey's Rogalist. MANCHU STAKES. --Mr Decimal's Discount YANGTZE STAKES .-Mr Buxey's Bold Heart. SHARTUNG STAKES.— Mr Waveny's Koh-i-nor. CONSOLATION STARES. -Mr John Peels Taluman.

CHAMPION SWEEPSTAKES .-

Mr Buxey's Royal st.

SHANGHAI RACES

AN ALLEGED PEARL ROBBERY, Information has just been received of the mysterious disappearance of a large number of valuable pearls belonging to an Italian gentlemen presently residing Hongkong. The gentleman to whom the pearls belong is a dentist, and until recently his place of business was in D'Aguilar Street, In addition to carrying on his dentistry establishment, be from time to time dealt in pearls, soting as agent for father. About the beginning of the present year he received intimation that a percel of pearls had been consigned him by post, but on making application | make some payments on behalf of Marty's at the Post Office for the consignment he is said to have been told that it had not him and he was security for Marty's comerrived. Doring the next few weeks he combinued to call at the Post Office and was informed that no pearls had been received for him. Within the last day or two he called again, and was told that the books showed he had received a percel on 5th February last. This the applicant denied. They were both sureties for the comprahands of the police, who are now engaged | party to Chay Yuen, and Chay Yuen then valued at over \$1000 and the parcel is at said he wanted it for Chay Tak Dhing. leged to have contained 500 france in received a letter from Chay Ynen. French money At first it was thought that the purcel which had been sent

especially as the consigned has been moving about from port to port for several months: but the statement that it was delivered him on 8th February would appear to dispose of that theory, and as there seems to be no doubt of the arrival of the percel in him last year and that he, being afraid that Hongkong, the question now is to whom was it delivered, if at all ! It is not likely that the gentleman may have mentiqued to some person that he expected the parcel in which case he may have been anticipated in calling at the Post Office but then egain there is the statement that he was repeatedly told the parcel had not sidered as sold to me, but in reality there arrived previous to being informed that it had been handed over by the postal authorities. As it at present stands, therefore: affair has an air of mystery and

suspicion which it is to be trusted the local felony has been committed, that the perretrator may be speedily brought to jus-

LIQUIDATION OF

THE LABUK PLANTING COMPANY A meeting of the Labuk Planting Company was held in the Hongkong Hotel this afternoon. Mr J. H. Cox presided, and there were present : Messrs M. A. de Car-C. A. Rozario, Chua Lun, and J. Barros (Secretary). Mr Ellis, solicitor, was also

The Secretary read the notice calling the

you are all quite aware that the Company has no funds to go on with and that we are indebted to a firm in Hongkong. where the money has all gone, and it is impossible to carry on. I beg to propose meeting that , the Company cannot, reason of its liabilities, con inue its business and that it is advisable to wind up the same; and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily.

Mr F. A. Gomes seconded. Mr Braga thought the resolution might retaining sufficient money to keep their

hold on the property. meeting having been called to specific resolution in accordance with the requirements of the Ordinance, it was only open for the meeting to accept or reject that resolution. It was for the liquidator, if one were appointed, to say whether the Company's business should be partial-

ly or completely wound-up. The Chairman ruled the smendment out of order, and the resolution was agreed to

On the motion of Mr J. B. Gomes, seconded by Mr de Carvalho, Messre A. W. Walkinshaw and James H. animously appointed liquidators for the winding up of the Company in conformance

with the resolution. Thereafter a private meeting was held.

> SUPREME COURT. (Before Mr Justice Fielding Clarke, Acting Chief Justice.) IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION. Wednesday, May 4.

A COMMPLICATED LOAN CASE. Mr Pollock (instructed by Mr Grist, of Mr Wilkinson's office) appeared on bahali of-Choy Chu, who sued thay Yoen and another for the sum of \$2,000 lent by the plaintiff. It was stated by Mr Pollock that the plaintiff was suing to recover \$2000 and interest. In June last the defendant Chay Yuen, went to the plaintiff and saked bim to lend a aum of \$2000, atating that the money was really required for the use of the second defendant Chay Tak Ching. The plaintim required some security for this money, and the first defendant accordingly gave a bond on certain property as security for the repayment of the money and interest. Bia Lordship-You are not seeking

enforce the wortgage ?. Mr Pollock said they were socking judgment to recover the amount against the arat defendant as surety. His Lordship -You allege that he was

surety. Mr Pollock thought that wes practically alleged. They took mortgage from Chay Yuen and were suing him for his covenant of the morig ge as security. The money was really required for Chay Tak Ching, but this covenant was entered into as a collateral security. As a matter of fact he balieved the property was really fraudulently assigned by Chay Tak Ching, and therefore Chay Yuen had signed this mortgage deed because the property had been transferred into his name. It was maintained that Chay Tak Ching was the principal and that Chay Yuen was only acting as surely.

No appearance was made on behalf of the defendants. Choy Cho, the plaintiff, stated-I am a rader carrying on business as a coal merchant at 230 Praya West: On the 9:h of June. 891, I lent the sum of \$2000 to the defendants. The money was hand d over to Chay Yuen, and he said he wanted it for Chay Tak Ching. I had no contact with Chay Tak Ching about this loan. I know that Chay Tak Ching had plenty of money. and I expected him to repay the money. Chay Yuen came to me and asked me for a loan, and I said You are a very young man : what'do you want the money for He replied that he wanted the money to account. He said the property belonged to Chay Tak Ching, and it was assigned for

Q-Who owed Marty's accounts !- The Q-Who was the surety for Marty's compradore !- Chay Yuen-was the surety and Marty's compredors was liable to Marty. Q-What was Chay Tak Ching I-Ho was one of the soreties for Marty's compradore. dore. When Chay Tak Ching absconded from the Colony he transferred the probecame security for Marty's compredere. When Chay Yuon came taking the loan The following is the letter, which was read by His Lordship :-

Choy Chu, Esq.

but belongs to my uncle Ohay Ching Chuen, clics Chay T.k Ching. The fact was that needed. some person instituted in action against suit, on the 21st day of July, 189), assigned to me the shove mentioned lot of land together with other lots, viz., lot No. 493 with 4 houses Nos. 95 to 101 in First Street and let No. 279 with 3 houses. Nos. 25.

27 and 29 Truk Line, altegether making S lots with 11 houses on them. Three title deads were prepared at the office of He Wysen, solicitor, and the property is conit was simply transferred to my name with the view of preventing it from being infor a loan of \$2,000 this aum I did not detective force will be able to sift, and, if a borrow for my own use; on the same day handed the money to my uncle Chay Ching Chuen entering it into the current account and putting things straight. My uncle Chay Ching Chuen heard that th value of the 4 houses Nos. 322 to 328 Queen's Road on lot 493 was worth but little and was afraid that if he could not repay you the money you would certainly attach the above mentioned property and sell it by auction to recover the loan. So. lot No. 493 with houses Nos. 95 to 101 valho, J. P. Noronha Braga, J. B. Gomen, in First Street, 4 houses in all, and

asked him in what way he intended repay you the loan, and in reply he saked me to abscond to another place, so that means of getting it back, &c. &c. This is heartless indeed. But seeing that it was I that got the loan from you I will, as wman, act only according to the distation of my conscience, and I will not slip away so as to make you suffer. I am a poor man and Mr Ellis informed Mr Braga that the neglects to see to the matter, I am afraid that I can't make good the money \$20 0

even if I sold all I have. Now that my uncle has purposely put me into trouble which will cause you to suffer I feel I have done you a wrong. I am therefore writing this to inform you to the above effect, and when you have got this letter you should take immediate steps and petition the officials to have Chin Yee's property attached. If Chin Yes appears in Court I shall attend to be confronted with her. I have my uncle's letters as proof and when the time comes I will deal with it inpartially and see that you will not suffer in Cox, of Mesers Turner and Cx, were un. any way. Please take steps at an early date otherwise you will not be able to get the property to another name. I have no

> written to onquire of your health .- Yours faithfully, (Signed) CHAY YUEN. Dated San year 7th moon, 4th day. His Lordship - Well, this is not evidence against Chay Tak Ching. There is evidence against the nucle : we have evidence that he got the money. We have only a statement from Chay Yuan that he was borrowing the money for Chay Tak

Mr Pollock-We cannot say exactly where the mi ney has gone. Witness-I handed the money to Chav Yuen and I believe he passed it to his uno Chay Tak Ching. Chay Yuen is a very good young man. He does not gamble. After some conversation Me Pollack asked for an adjournment, and his Lord ship agreed to adjourn the case for

THE NICARAGUA CANAL

The April number of the Californian Allustrated Magazine, which we received by and will terminate our arrested develop- Press. last American mail, shows a continued im-

provement in the quality of that interesting monthly, both as regards letterpress and illustrations. The contents are varied enough to satisfy the tastes of almost all readers, and the crticles are well-written and as a rule excellently illustrated.

The gateway to the Atlantic '-contains a

series of illustrations. Among the many very keenly the need of some illumination advantages possessed by this favoured land, says the writer, there is one which proof against draughts, and reas mil far exceeds in value her resources of mine, cheap, was offered to the primote field and forest. Standing midway between on the most favourable terms. the northern and southern extremities of only bad the nescent Company great oceans and the countries bordering price they chose to ask, and a telerably where on the American continent. The ling the main streets, but it was also ly remark here that Nicaragua is on the Palace, where we may be sure that stars of the path of empire is through its gateway agent to set off their growing or waning for the nation which holds the key. Alter charms ! a brief glance at the history of the Nicarag- The new Company had thus every ima uan Republic and its present condition, ginable chance of a brilliant success; and Mr. Merry proceeds-The availability of had the concession been g anted to a Euthe Nicaragua route as an inter-occanio ropean firm of energy and ability there can highway was indicated as early as 1550 by be little doubt that by this time we should the Spanish explorer Autonio Galvau. Since | be luxuriating in well-lighted streets and 1825 the subject has been repeatedly houses, while the shareholders, in return presented to the Government of Nicaragua for making as comfortable, would have and the United States. In 1844 Don been reaping a substantial and fairly earn. Francisco Castellon, a citizen of Nicaragua ed harvest in the shape of dividends. visited France, and the project was called However, the course pursued by the to the attention of Pince Louis Napo. Government, which went into this affair, leon, who published a pamphlet on the as grantors, was vary different. It was subject, but no active efforts followed. marked out upon the newest and most ap-In 1849 Cornelius Vanderbilt and his proved patriotic lines. The accurace associates ubtained a conces ion for a Farang was kept out of the affair altoship canal and a survey was made gother; and the wily contractor and for them by Colonal Childs, of Phil- still more odious Promoter' were warded adeiphis, which was pronounced feasible off by effectual means. The by United States Government Engineers Electric Light Company was started Mr Vanderbilt failed, however, to puliet as purely and simply a ramese Company. capital arough to andertake the work, and Promotion money and there was a good permitted the concession to laped I have deal of this commodity-was paid

Nos. 324, 326 and 328 on lot No. 493 in foreign trade. The present surveys provide Queon's Road, Sairingpoon, Hongkong, in for the largest ships that nargate the consideration of a loan of \$2,000 you had ocean, 30 lockdepth, with looks 50 feet long advanced to me. This property is not mine and 80 feet wide, with heilities for the construction of still larger looks if they are

commenced covering the whole isthmus. this property might be involved in the law partly on private account, but mostly under instructions of the United States Government. In 1872-73; complete surveys of the Panama and Nicaragua routes were made under command of Commander Luil United States Navy, with Mr A. G. Meno cal as the Chief Engineer. The result these surveys was the condemnation of the Panama route and the approval of the Nicarngua route for a lock cutall using the great lake as its summit level. The survey was no money passed in these transactions: demonstrated the possibilty of a lock canal at Panama with 14 lest more elevation than at N ciragua, and at somewhat greater volved (in the action). Referring to the coat. It entirely condemned the Panama title deed No. 2 for lot No. 493 handed route for a con-level, as afterward attempted by the French. General Grant, himself a in full or partial operation. This however civil engineer of no most preferencions, is all that has been done in the way of wrote in the North American Review of February, 1881, that, if practicable at all, the Panama canal would cost over. lost to the investors."

appointed Rear Admiral Daniel Ammen, of them.

gua canal to commerce. Harrison that it should be passed.

largely by interests adverse to the public insolvent; and yet it is only during the welfare, a brief description of the projected past week that a meeting of shareholders canal is in order. The Nicaragua Canal and a nicetica of creditors was held. The may be briefly described as a summit level former, as will be seen from our report, was of pavigation in fresh water. 1532 miles a ridiculous farce. No one of any conlong, 110 fest above the sea, reaching segence appeared, no explanations were within 31 miles of the Pacific and 124 miles given or asked, and nothing more was done of the Atlantic ocean. The total length of than to propose in a silly manner, for the navigation is 1694 miles; there will be transparent purpose of delay, a scheme three lift looks at each end of the summit which every one knows is impossible and colonial questions. level. Three miles beyond the upper lock proposterous. The other-the creditors' is the heaviest on on the work, 2.9 miles meering-was well attended and well conlong, through solid rook, averaging 141 feet ducted; and the resolutions arrived at to canal bottom, and requiring four years' shewed some practical sense on the side work, which practically meaning the period the creditors present. But the key-note of necessary to complete the cantly as the the situation was struck by one of the work at all other points can be completed latter, who complained bitterly of the back your money if he has transferred in less time and simultaneously. The apathy and inertness displayed by capacity of the canal will be 20,440,00 ! the Consuls in this matter. It is indeed time to speak of other matters. This is tons, which can be doubted by duplicating lietole able, from every point of view, that. the looks. The Suez Canal passed in 1 90 though there are undisputed claims on all about 9,000,100, producing a revenue of 19 sides by English, German, and Danish aubper cent. The Nicaragua Canal will open jucts against the insolvent Company, no with an assured tonnage of 8,730,000 tons one of the Consuls charged with the inwhich will rapidly increase, producing a terests of these creditors will insist upon r. venue of \$16.2.0,000 per annum. The any proper action on the part of the cost of majurecance may be safely placed debters. These latter are allowed at \$1 500,000 per annuar. The enterprise shuffle slope in disregard of all law and or has every indication of being good for over der, protracting the crisis and apoiling the 14 per cent, on \$100,000,000, the estimated lassets of the insolvents, instead of at once cost. The time of passing through the realising the latter or finding a reliable Canal is placed at 28 hours, including lock- person or Company to take over the underages. If the com any can negotiate its taking. The creditors have a clear right securities at par we may safely assume the to complain of such a diagracoful state of I total cost at less than \$ 00,000 000. This taffairs. But though their position is needcan be done by a Government guarantee leasty undomfortable, that of the miserable of bonds. If securities have to be dis- shareholders is ten times worse. By the been published, and shows that Britain de- Foochow ... counted the cost will be greatly increased, bungling and shuffling of their Directors probably 50 per cents the Suez Canal they run the imminent risk not only of his orst \$94,000,000 and its bonds first sold at ing all they put into the affine, but also 60 per cent only. The effect of this ben - being sucd perionally for all debts which ficent work upon the welfare and progress; the company fails to discharg. The case lof the Pacific Coast is not a matter of will serve as a lesson to them; and it is to doubt. We are suffering acutely from the | he hoped, for the take of Sign and the

A SIAMESE 'COMPANY.'

The Siam Electric Leght hasco has now reached that stage when it c lls for some public comment, and must perforce attract the attention of all persons interested in the development of Siam. The Company o ganised to carry out the scheme of light Mr W. L. Merry's sketch of Nicaragua - ing Bangkok by electricity entered upon its car er with exceptionally fine prospects great deal of interesting information which of success. A town of some half-million of is made all the more valuable by a capital inhabitants, unprovided with gas, feeling agent which was at once serviceable and the continents the barrier there presented blanche to supply all Bangkok during its to direct communication between the two long evenings with electric light at what upon then is the lowest that exists any- remunerative contract in prospect for lightimport of this great fact to the commercial authorised to provide lamps for that hire world remains to be considered. We mere, lof I vely and vir done creatures—the Royal highway of the world's future commerce, the second and third magnitude, and even and in a military point of view for exceeds of lower grades, in the tirmament of female. Gibraltae in importance. It is in fact the glory, would insist upon having their prokey be ween the Atlantic and the Pacific - portionate share of the new illuminating than point out the figures which must at

Dear Sir. I beg respectfully to inform water, which would be mostly to the advant the stoppident clerk a Thre morton Street in London only a month ago is put for the stopping of the prigram traffic to tage of American coasting frade, and not Directors, shareholders, and in shore avery down at some 6039 tons against 12,1-6 to that place owing to on outbreak of cholers.

The Tieller bean-of-war Curtoffine has in- had gone astray in quites of transit, more handed you title deed for 2 for 4 houses deep through for English ships in the one who had or was supposed to have any 1890 and 10,484 in 1888. From all this bings queht to be done.

> What has been the result? During four lon methods. Events prove that we have Professor A. CattaneoMr Roze days the Palace and some of its precincts | been correct in our former utterances with Mr H. Charpantice Mr Lino J. 86 have been lighted with about 1,600 lights. regard to the cultivation of coffee in Sister Mr D. D. Curseties Mr W. Smith At about the same time half a dozen and we again repeat that from all present Mr and Mrs R. DixonMr W. H. Smith in Lindon on the Queen's Birthday, were paying cultivation of the present day. lighted up. On another occasion an imitation junk and an imitation ateamer floating on dry land outside the palace were successfully provided with electric lamps. If we mistake not, the frequenters of the Oriental Hotel were gratified for a few days with a sight of the new incandescent lights practical results. And now the Directorn of the concern—the solightened patriots who organised the affair-a Sismose \$400,000,000. Over three-quarters of that undertaking for the Siamese have had to amount has been sunk in the attempt and come to their charcholders and creditors less than one-quarter of the necessary with the phiful cry we are inscivent! we excuration secomplished General Grant can do no more! The wretched sharea also on record as asserting that every holders who subscribed some £50,000 to this dollar put into the Panama camal would be | model Siamese Company find themselves in three years not only in the receipt of no In May, 1879, Leasens called together dividend, but without any hope of ever contrary to my expectation, my mucle, the International Canal Congress at Paris selling their shares, and on the other hand actuated by a wicked heart, compelled me for the assumed purpose of constitution as exposed to the attack of any creditor who to essign to his concubine Chiu Yee to the route to be adopted. Our Government may choose to press his claims against any

United States Navy, and Mr A. G. Mono- The paid up capital of the company has A. R. Catto, Robert Lyall, F. A. Gonies, lot No. 279 with 3 houses Nos. 25, cal, C. E., as our delegates. It appearing disappeared, and all that there is to show and 29 Tank Lane, 3 altogether, that the Congress was controlled in the for it is a few buildings, a few posts, with 2 lots with 7 houses on them, so as to interest of parties who had acquired a con- wires or cables attached, some lamps which prevent you from attaching and selling cession for the Panama route, and that a have not been lighted for many months, these houses by auction. As these houses fair discussion and vots was not wanted, and a quantity of machinery, which no one are really my uncle Chay Ching Chuse's our delegates declined to votes 'It subsection the Company knows how to use, and property I could not but carry out his quently appeared that a syndicate of no one outside the Company appears eager order, and on the 21st day of July, 1891, Frenchmen, including Count de Lesseps, to buy, even at half its original cost price. The Chairman said-Gentlemen, I think 2 deeds were made at Solicitor Ho Wyson's had made prior application to the Nicara. Against these Lessets, in the shape of office for 2 lats of land and the houses on gua government for a canal concession, and buildings and machinery, there are debte them, so that these lots of land (and the failing there by one vote only had taken of very great magnifude-£15,000 or so houses are now considered as Chiu Yee's up the Wyre concession from the Colom- lowing to the Brush Company, £5 000 or so property), but in reality they were merely bian Government for a canal at Penama. owing tollocal creditors, and £1,000 or so that a proposal should be put before you transferred to his concubines name with. Had Lesseps succeeded in obtaining the owing to the employee and servants whose for winding up the Company. You know out the price being paid. The only let Nicaragua concession, we have every reason wages and salaries are over-due. Under left in my name is lot No. 493 on which I to believe the Nicaragua caral would have such deplorable and depraceful circumhave borrowed a sum of \$2000 from you, been opened in 1888, although he might have stances, what would a body of honest partbut my uncle will not take any notice of developed there the same extravagence and ners or speculators do? Would they not been proved to the satisfaction of this this matter. On the lat day of the Chinese poor judgment which charact rized the at once call a meeting of their creditors, 7th moon my uncle Chay Oning Chuen | work at Panama, but one-third of what he and sak for their forbearance or at least came down to Hongkong from Canton; I expended would have opened the Nicara- propose some mode of paying off their claims? Would they not call together the Mr Merry recounts the circumstances shareholders and lay before them at laiding up to the introduction of the bill least some excuse or some explanawhen your money fell due you will have no in congress in January 1888 to incorporate tion of the gross and culpable misthe Maritime Canal Company of Nicaragua, management which led to this abourd which was afterwards withdrawn and again | fiasco ? Nothing of this ki d is done by introduced in the present session with the Directors of the S. E. L. C. until their the urgunt recommendation of President duty is forcibly and repentedly urged upon them by the hated Consuls and the still more Turning from this somewhat tedious de ested lawyers. Months have elapsed if the money falls due, and my uncle still history of delays, he continues, procured since the Company was notoriously

want of cheap transportation. The Canal Siamese, that we shall not hear much in is a full and final solution of the quest on, the future of Siamete Companion. - Free

COFFEE IN STANL

It ought to be apparent to those who Signor Genalla, Minister of Education. watch the signs of the times that coffee squabbles between torkey and egypt. cultivation in Siam is likely to prove a very done in the manner that is so often the Ports in Egypt) interfering in adopted in this country. No. But to make juter al affairs of the country. under the control of those who have the Porte. andonbted experience of planting in all its THE BUSSIAN PLEET'S VISIT TO DEVONPORT. branches, and the management of that very important factor to success in planting expected at Devonport in June during the for N.E. winds. Weather cloudy warm enterprises-labour.

by a Price-current of Messre Rueber and visit of the French fleet to Portsmouth last Beneralt which we have before us. This year. so completely bears out everything we have written about the position of coffee in the home market, that we cannot do better the grop of 1888,89 and the present stock killed. in London is estually less by 111,000 bags than It was in 1889. Then lot us look at the market. In former years, when Ceylon and India exported freely, the difference the authoreus between the two qualities ranged from 10/ to 15/ per out, and when it rose to 201 it was apparant that either Rio must hem in their normal position. But at the present moment, when good

at 66/ to 72/, whilst middling Plantation fluoding the Dewap's office with reports of Coylon is fetchin, 104/ to 105/. The Cen- the pranks of this aprite in the villages. cored like Ceylon plantation, is quoted has issued orders for formally calling upon Temperature where the est disease is unknown. Stam hoppolin. holds out the prospect of producing coffee | HENDU PRIESTS AND THEIR PILEBIAL heard it stated that English capitalists Stamese Princes, ir their jackals, who under the same bouditions and commandobjected for the passes that Child's server were as ignorant of the subject and as ing similar values. In this compection it was intend soing the Government of the subject and as ing similar values. provided for a canal with only 20 feet incompetent to form a proper Company as is worthy of notice that the stock for four and a half large as respectation

interest in the affair or any voice in the we may see that what proves the rule in hey had succeeded in starting a com- tion) always command a good price, whilst to Sado in starting a convoy. puny of their own, which would show the the lower-qualities produced in large bulk hateful and presumptuous European how are forced down to a low level. Brazil may produce millions of tons of coffee, but With such aspirations and with such | until she property it properly the value encouraging prospects did this Company will never approach that of Ceylon-and Mr C. Baacke start only two or three short years ago. we may add Siam too if she follows Cay- Mr F. W. Brimslow Mr J. C. Nightingale inations, such as one toes in hundreds indications coffee is far and away the test-

THE DISTURBANCE IN PAHANG.

The Singapore Free Press of the 28th On eugniring at the Secretariat to day we were informed that no letters had yet been received from the Sultan of Paheng. and the messengers sept up with the Governor's and H H, the Sultan of Johore's despatches are still up the river.

Information has been received of a state of nneasiness and disquist in Pekan; the exact grounds on which these rest are not known, but apparently it is feared that country things are not going well. details are given. In consequence of this nueseiness the Governor has thought it proper to order further Sikhs to be brought down from Porak, and Col. Walker has been hundred men. Fifty of these have been ordered on to Raub, and fifty will be sent to Pekun. Col. Walker proceeds to Klang in his official caracity as Commandant of the Perak Sikhs.

all, so far as is known up to the 22nd, is well at Lipis.

NEWS BY THE FRENCH MAIL

THE BUDGET, London, April 11.-Mr. Goschen proposes a small reduction in the patent fees and to make the duty on sparkling wines a uniform one of two shillings. The Suez Canal shares held by the Government are On Landonexpected to yield £625,000. An agreement has been concluded whereby the Government pays the Bank of England £50,000 less yearly.

THE DEPLORABLE STATE OF THE CANADIAN Lundon, April 9. -- Advices from Ottawa state that the commanders of the forces in Canada report that the Canadian militia i deplorably organized, especially the infanry. The artillery, they state, is defective,

and the guns, which are of an obsolete pattern, are partly unmountable and partly not fit to be fired. THE DISPUTE ABOUT THE AMERICAN COTTON OROPS.

Washington, April 13. The Agricultural bareau has replied angrily to the resolution passed by the st. Louis cotton exchange regarding the March report on crops, which it affirms is quita accurate: THE CZAR TO VISIT BERLIN.

London, April 19. - It is currently re ported that the Cz ir will visit Berlin at the AGREEMENT OF PRANCE AND ENGLAND ON

COLONIAL QUESTIONS.

The Times of to-day states that England and France are now agreed upon all London, April 20.—The agreement between France and England regarding colonial questions is confined to the prevention of the sale of arms and animunition to

TERMINATION OF THE RUPTURE BETWEEN ITALY AND THE STATES. Washington, April 15,-The rupture between the United States and Italy has ended, and the American Minister has been

the natives of Africa.

ordered to return to Rome. THE RESCUS OF MR JOHNSTONE IN RYASSALAND. London, April 16.—The Times, in disoussing the reverses suffered by Mr Johnston and his party in Nyssesland, says that he cannot be left to perish like General Gordon was at Khartoum, and urges the Government to send a gunboat to Lake

Nyassa, and to largely reinforce the Sikh ENGLAND AND THE TERRITORIAL RIGHTS OF London, April 15,-The correspondence Tokio 30.24 - KE that has taken place between Sir E. Baring Nagasaki ... and the Egyptian Foreign Minister has Shanghai. : 0.19 59 58 clined to agree to the territorial rights of Amoy SO.04 70 66 NNE 2 b Egypt being impaired in any way, and only | Anping ... 29.95 79 - B 7 b

firman on the understanding that the tele- | Houghong 30.02 71 75 Ext gram from His Majesty regarding Sinut Vict Peak should form part thereaf. THE PEW ITALIAN MINISTRY. Rome. April 19. -The Italian Ministry Hothow ... 29.99 78 - Ex has been re-formed. The programme which | Haiphong. 30,01 70 46 - 0 0 they have issued is chiefly directed towards | Bolingo 29.87 87 72 w 2 b economies in the army. The new ministers Manila. ... 29.88 87 67 888 1 om 0.12 are General Riccioti. Minister of War : C.B. James - - - 78 B

Signor Caddini, Minister of Finance; and London, April 17 .- Fresh difficulties profitable speculation for those who make h ve arisen between Turkey and Egypt. venture in that direction. We do not and the Sultan has telegraphed to Eyoub wish it to be understood that such an un- Pacha o dering tem to postpone his dedertaking will prove a success if any of our | parture from Cairo. The Khediva has Siamese friends make the casay of planting | telegraphed to the Sultan complaining of coffee by deputing someone else to see it Muchtar Pachs (the High Commissioner of

a success of an industry which has yielded | Cuire, April 17.- The fresh difficulties enormous profits in other parts of the that arose between Turkoy and Egypt have world notably in Ceylon, the whole matter been arranged, and Eyoub Pacha has sailed should be taken up in a perfectly business. for Constautinople. Mukhtar Pacha relike manner and the management put mains in Egypt as High Commissioner for

London, April 18 .-- The Russian fleet is mayal manosuvres, when festivities will take | and rather dry. (Insued IC Tal) We are induced to revert to this subject place similar to those on the occasion of the THE OTHEW'S MOVEMENTS.

The Queen visits Darmstads on the 26th ! instant and thence proceeds to England. PATAL ACCIDENT AT A STEEFLE-CHARE. The Brazil crop which was estimated as a gentleman rider in the Lords and Comthe largest ever known has only so far mone steeple-chane, which took place year turned out some 400,000 bags more than lorday, was thrown from his horse and

London. April 17.4-The death is announced of Mrs Amelia Botham Edwards. GROSS SUPERSTITION.

Madras. April 10, -The recent fires at | a setally, r rais, senew, r hunder, a visibility Trevandrum, which were at first attributed to dew (west) rise, or Uaylon fall, at least 5/, to piace to accident and then to incendiaries, are now stated to have been the work of a hoogobin named Chathan, The Travancore officials, it is said, have been fately tral American bean, which is cleaned and adjacent to Trevandrum, and the Maharejah higher even than Coylon; Costa Kica 108/ a Malabar Brahmin, who is reputed to Humidity Honduras 110/, those being localities possess the necessary charge and incantawhere the plantations are yet young and higher to atop the devilials tricks of the

It is esported that the priests of Hard.

KEGOLLINGS DECEMBLED V. C. Lieutenant Macmunu No. 6. Mountain management of it, were Siamese outber by all other markets for agricultural produce. Battery, has been strongly, recommended birth or by adoption; and this being the is reproduced in that for coffee-the for the grant of the Victoria Cruss for sale case the 'patriotic' party felt that at last superior kinds (superior only by prepara- lantry displayed while marching from Hong

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